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☒ was filed on July 15, 2003 as United States Application No. or  
PCT International Application No. 10/619,736  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
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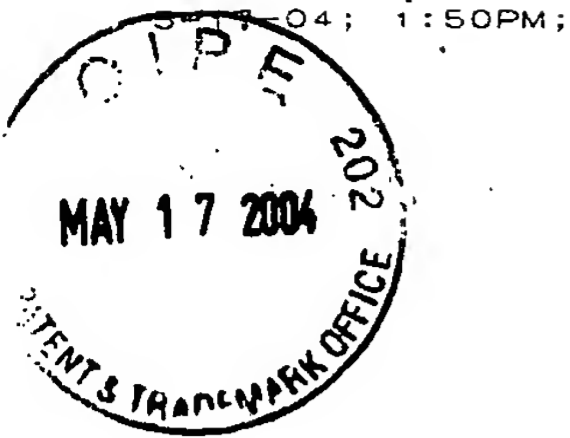
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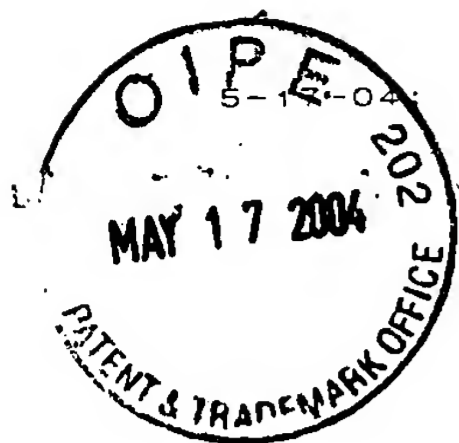
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